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FOR CHRISTOPHER FROM AMBASSADOR

-----AMBASSADOR WISHES THIS TELEGRAM BROUGHT TO ATTENTION
OF APPROPRIATE OFFICER WITHOUT DELAY-----

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: CGEN, UR, US
SUBJECT; PENTECOSTAL AND ARMENIAN SIT-IN

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1. I DO NOT BELIEVE WE SHOULD HOLD BACK ON THE PROPOSED
COURSE OF ACTION. WHILE THE PRESS MIGHT TRY TO MAKE
SOME CONNECTION, OUR POSITION WOULD BE THAT THE PENTE-
COSTALISTS FINALLY ACCEDED TO OUR REPEATED REQUESTS TO
LEAVE.

2. IN ORDER NOT TO HAVE COMPLICATIONS POSED BY HAVING
LARGE NUMBERS OF PEOPLE IN THE AREA, OR BY HAVING THE
VISITORS LEAVE IN THE DEAD OF NIGHT, WE SHOULD DO IT
THIS WEEKEND. I WOULD PREFER NOT TO DO IT ON SUNDAY,
FOR OBVIOUS REASONS.

3. I REQUEST THAT I BE AUTHORIZED TO GO FORWARD TODAY,
SATURDAY. TOON

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